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Application of: Robert Alpern et al.

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

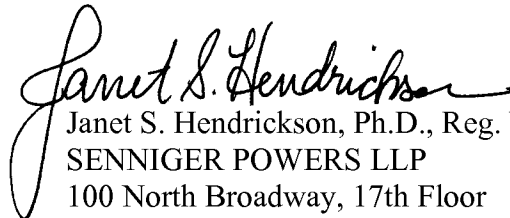
SIR:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated November 12, 2008 rejecting the following claims: 1, 13-15, 36-44, 60, and 61.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the related fees in the amount of \$1030.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-1345 (\$540.00 for the appeal fee and \$490.00 for a two month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a)).

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any under payment or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

Respectfully submitted,



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